

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCESS
GROUP ART UNIT 3732**

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Simon J. Elmer et al.

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For: IMPLEMENT FOR TREATING HAIR AND
METHOD OF TREATING HAIR USING THE
SAME

Examiner: T. E. Manahan

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 3, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-7, 14 and 15, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.